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JURISPRUDENCE EXAMINATION

(To pass this examination you must score at least 90%) **\$25.00 RETAKE FEE**

Applicant's Name: _____

Date Taken: _____

ANSWER TRUE OR FALSE. YOU MAY USE "T" FOR TRUE OR "F" FOR FALSE.

1. _____ The Board may request an oral interview with an applicant prior to licensure.
2. _____ When an examination candidate fails the NPTE (National Physical Therapy Examination), a temporary license may be granted while waiting to retake the examination.
3. _____ At least twenty hours of continuing education is required biennially for the renewal of the physical therapy and physical therapist assistant license.
4. _____ As provided by law and rule, unprofessional conduct includes sexual misconduct, false advertising and misrepresentation in any aspect of the conduct of the profession.
5. _____ All applicants for licensure or renewal must report any legal or disciplinary actions against them that relate to the propriety of their practice or their fitness to practice.
6. _____ A written complaint of suspected violation of the Physical Therapy Statutes or Rules specifying the grounds for the complaint may be filed with the Board.
7. _____ Monthly re-evaluation visits by the supervising physical therapist to patients treated offsite by a physical therapy assistant is considered appropriate supervision of this supportive personnel.
8. _____ A physical therapy assistant may not administer tests and measurements as a component of the physical therapy evaluation.
9. _____ A physical therapy student or physical therapy assistant student may practice without the onsite supervision of a licensed physical therapist.
10. _____ If a foreign-trained physical therapist has a valid unrestricted license in the United States jurisdiction in which they are currently practicing, they are not required to have their educational credentials evaluated by a board-approved credentialing agency.
11. _____ A temporary license is automatically granted to an out-of-state applicant if they currently hold a physical therapy license in another United States jurisdiction.
12. _____ The Board defines periodic checks, supervision and direct supervision to mean onsite guidance by a licensed physical therapist of a physical therapy aide.

13. _____ Physical therapy evaluation includes the administration, interpretation and evaluation of tests and measurement of bodily functions and structures.
14. _____ A licensed physical therapist may not concurrently supervise more than four aides or the equivalent or two assistants and two aides or the equivalent.
15. _____ Unauthorized representation of oneself, orally or in writing, as a licensed therapist may include an investigation and possible legal action resulting in a misdemeanor charge.
16. _____ Failure to receive a renewal notice shall constitute grounds for failure to make a timely renewal.
17. _____ A continuing education program is defined as a class, institute, lecture, conference, workshop, cassette or videotape, correspondence course or peer-review of publication of a journal article(s), textbook(s), or online course.
18. _____ The Montana Chapter of the APTA governs and controls the functions of the Montana Board of Physical Therapy Examiners.
19. _____ The primary responsibility for physical therapy care rendered by the supportive personnel is to rest with the supervising physical therapist.
20. _____ A copy of the written prescription from an authorized licensed medical provider specifying the topical medication to be applied and the method of application must be retained in the patient's physical therapy medical records.
21. _____ A person who is not licensed as a physical therapist assistant may assist a physical therapist in the practice of physical therapy as long as the physical therapist is onsite.
22. _____ The Board may refuse to license any applicant who is, in the judgment of the Board, guilty of immoral or unprofessional conduct as defined by Board rule.
23. _____ Failure to report child abuse or abuse of the elderly constitutes unprofessional conduct under the physical therapy regulation.
24. _____ A licensee may reactivate a lapsed license within 45 days after the April 1 renewal date.
25. _____ The licensee shall display their original license in a conspicuous place in the principal office where they practice physical therapy.